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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:** Brandt

**Docket No.:** ZIMM0001

**Serial No. :** 09/806,784

**Art Unit:** Unassigned

**Filed:** March 30, 2001

**Examiner:** Unassigned

**Title:** METHOD AND DEVICE FOR TRANSMITTING DATA OVER LOW-VOLTAGE NETWORKS

January 22, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE**

This is in response to the Notice of Acceptance dated 4 December 2001.

The Notice states that additional fees of \$54 are due. This appears to be in error. The English translation of the PCT application shows a total of 25 claims, 1 independent, with multiple dependent claims. Fees were paid as follows:

\$860.00 for filing fee

\$90.00 for 5 additional claims

\$270.00 for multiple dependent claims

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\$1,220.00

Thus, the proper fees \$1,220.00 and this is what Applicant has paid. Please see a copy of the application transmittal attached as well as our deposit account statement showing the fees deducted. Applicant hereby asserts that the fees were paid correctly.



However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees; or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 07-1445 (Order No. ZIMM0001) if necessary to allow this application proceed with examination. A copy is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature, likely of Michael A. Glenn, consisting of a stylized 'M' and 'G' followed by a long horizontal stroke.

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FEE CALCULATION

<u>X</u>	BASIC FEE				\$ 840.00	\$840.-pd
	(IPEA-U.S. \$670/335; ISA-U.S. \$760/380; PTO not ISA or IPEA \$970/485; <sup>840</sup> U.S. IPEA all claims meet 33(1)-(4) \$96/48; File w/ EPO or JPO search report <sup>840</sup> 840/420;)					
	Surcharge for filing a late oath or declaration (\$130/65)				\$ ***	
	Surcharge for filing a late translation (\$130)				\$ ***	
<u>X</u>	Multiple dependent claims (\$260/130)	x <sup>260</sup> \$260 claim	=		\$ \$260.00	\$270.-pd
	Excess claims - see calculation below					
	Total Claims: - 25 - 20 = 5	X \$18/09claim	=		\$ 90.00	\$90.-pd
	Independent Claims: - 1 - 3 = 0	X \$18/39/ind. claim =			\$ --	
		<sup>41</sup> 41				
		Excess Claim Total			\$ 278.00	
	Assignment recordal fee (\$40)				\$	
					\$	
					\$ 1,190.00	\$1220.-pd

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the filing fee of \$1,190.00 and any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-14454 (Order No. ZIMM0001). A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

\*\*Please direct all correspondence concerning this case to the undersigned at GLENN PATENT GROUP, 3475 Edison Way, Ste. L, Menlo Park, CA 94025.

Respectfully submitted.

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U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
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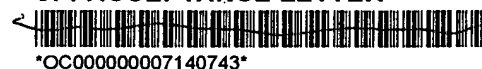
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CONFIRMATION NO. 5988

371 ACCEPTANCE LETTER



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### NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 AND 37 CFR 1.494 OR 1.495

The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

<u>05/30/2001</u>	<u>05/30/2001</u>
DATE OF RECEIPT OF 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS	DATE OF RECEIPT OF ALL 35 U.S.C. REQUIREMENTS

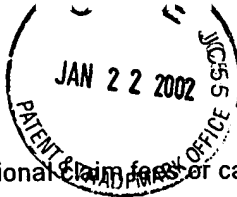
A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. **THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE " FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371 REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE.** The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

The following items have been received:

- U.S. Basic National Fee
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Oath or Declaration

The following defects have been observed:

- Additional claim fees of \$54 as a large entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are



required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) for this application is \$54 for a large entity.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$54**
  - **\$54** for total claims over 20.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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